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| <b>UTILITY<br/>PATENT APPLICATION<br/>TRANSMITTAL</b><br><small>(Only for new nonprovisional applications under 37 CFR 1.53(b))</small> |  | Attorney Docket No. 6388-0501-0   |
|   |  | First Inventor or Application Identifier Beatrice TOUMI et al.          |
|   |  | Title TIGHTENING AGENT COMPRISING AT LEAST ONE GRAFTED SILICONE POLYMER |

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| <b>APPLICATION ELEMENTS</b><br><small>See MPEP chapter 600 concerning utility patent application contents</small>  |  | ADDRESS TO: Assistant Commissioner for Patents<br>Box Patent Application<br>Washington, DC 20231  |
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| <p>15. If a CONTINUING APPLICATION, check appropriate box, and supply the requisite information below:</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> Continuation    <input type="checkbox"/> Divisional    <input type="checkbox"/> Continuation-in-part (CIP) of prior application no.: _____<br/>Prior application information: Examiner: _____ Group Art Unit: _____</p> <p>16. Amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence:<br/> <input type="checkbox"/> This application is a <input type="checkbox"/> Continuation    <input type="checkbox"/> Division    <input type="checkbox"/> Continuation-in-part (CIP)<br/>of application Serial No. _____ Filed on _____<br/> <input type="checkbox"/> This application claims priority of provisional application Serial No. _____ Filed _____</p> <p>17. CORRESPONDENCE ADDRESS<br/>OBLON, SPIVAK, MCCLELLAND, MAIER &amp; NEUSTADT, P.C.<br/>FOURTH FLOOR<br/>1755 JEFFERSON DAVIS HIGHWAY<br/>ARLINGTON, VIRGINIA 22202<br/>(703) 413-3000<br/>FACSIMILE: (703) 413-2220</p>  |  |   |

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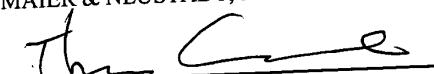
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### NEW APPLICATION REVIEW SHEET

This new application has been reviewed for content, including number of pages of specification [27], and all DRAWINGS [-0- sheets].

I certify that I personally have counted all these sheets of drawings and they are all present if this is a new application or an application under Rule 1.53(b) or 1.53(d).

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